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Mr. Charles L. A. Terreni
Chief Clerk/Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
P. O. Drawer 11649
Columbia, SC 29211

Re: Application of General Systems Corporation for Approval of a Fee for the Operation of Its Sidney Road Lift Station, Lexington County, South Carolina

Docket No.: 1988-421-S

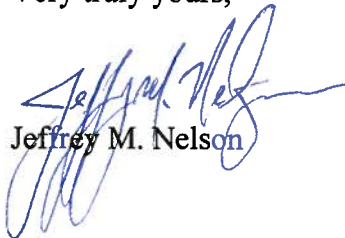
Dear Mr. Terreni:

Please allow this letter to serve as notification that the Office of Regulatory Staff (ORS) does not oppose the application of General Systems Corporation for approval of a fee for the operation of its Sidney Road lift station located in Lexington County, South Carolina.

General Systems Corporation and Alpine Utilities are sister corporations and therefore operated under common ownership. As a result of the consolidated sewer services customers will be charged current rates approved by the Public Service Commission in Commission Order 2008-759. There will be no impact on the total rates charged to the customers of General Systems.

Thank you very much. Please contact Mr. Benjamin Mustian and me if you have any questions or need additional information concerning this matter.

Very truly yours,



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